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Precious Darling Wifie:-

Your darling letter of Saturday just received and, dearest, I can hardly give expression of my happiness when I read of how pleased you were when you received my little gift. Someday, love dear, I hope to make you a better gift, and believe me it going to be some gift, too.

Tootsie, as for the trunk, I'll do as you say, but I advise you to bring a grip or valise along with you, when you travel, as you can't trust the railroads now. I'll wait with the trunk and if you decide you want it, let me know, and then I'll ship it.

I drew up the affidavit for Solomon, and presume it will be mailed to sometime this afternoon, or to-morrow morning. Honey love, I don't know whether that will be sufficient, so let me know and I'll draw up another. As soon as the affidavit, ~~as~~ mailed to, I'll send it to you.

Honey love, we do hope Carrie ~~will~~ did come and see you, so that you went for a bus ride. Did you go? Tell me how you enjoyed it. You can rest assured I haven't forgotten about those kisses. I am afraid that once, I start, you'll want to quit (?). I don't suppose I can kiss you enough, can I?

Honey love, in yesterday's letter I wrote you about a certain claim that Dr. Lazear sent in and Goldberger handed. The client said that Dr. Lazear referred him to me, just as he knew Goldberger and saw him in my office he thought we were partners and therefore gave it to Goldberger. When I got to talking business with this man Kipper by name, and when I got through, he assured me I was going to get his business hereafter. It sure did tickle me as he has lot of collection business and that means some nice money, especially during the summer months. That, Tootsie, is the beauty of the collection business. Business always coming and going. I sure do hope he turns it over to me, and not to Goldberger. He seemed dead set against Herman, and B. Lee too. About the latter, he said that if Lee wanted to borrow money from him he would gladly loan it to him, but he wouldn't trust Lee with a cent, even if it only involved one cent. This Kipper is also a big muck-a-muck in one of the little lodges to which I belong, and he asked me if I would accept one ~~for~~ the office. I told him I would, so I believe shortly they will put up my name to run for something or other in the lodge.

Precious baby ~~wifie~~ mine, I sure am lonesome for you. This morning I got up and could have sworn that I kissed you squarely on the lips. I see, it felt good, but I very, very soon realized that I didn't kiss you at all, but only dreamt of you so, that I dreamt I kissed

Honey love, "verily, verily I say unto you", it can't last much longer. Only 5½ weeks more, please God, and you'll be starting out and then, honeylove, —— what? Tell me, darling, tell me what's going to happen. I mean lovie, I don't think I'll sleep the night before you come! I am so anxious for you that it seems that May 3rd will never come. Believe me honey love I sure will be a happy man when you come, eh, lovie? And you, sweetheart mine? Do you still love me as much as you "vote". Sure do hope so, love; I know how much you love me precious, but I so love to hear you say so and write so. That's why I asked.

Honey precious, I am awaiting that nice big letter Sunday or Monday, and sure hope I get it soon. Look how the mail has been delayed. To-day I should have gotten your Sunday's letter, but instead, I got your Saturday's letter. "Funny".

With all my love, hugs, and kisses to you, my own darling little Wifie, my precious baby,

Ever lovingly your own
Shelby